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Senate Resolution 1065

By: Senator Whitehead, Sr. of the 24th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and congratulating Mr. Oscar H. Jordan for his life achievement and on his
- 2 outstanding career with the State of Georgia; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mr. Oscar Jordan, who is 87 years young, began his career in state government
- 4 on August 28, 1945; and
- 5 WHEREAS, over the course of his career, he was willing to go the extra mile to ensure
- 6 records were filed in a timely manner with the State Office of Vital Records; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he received several commendation letters from county vital records offices
- 8 throughout this state praising him for his unparalleled dedication and his unwavering
- 9 willingness to assist them; and
- 10 WHEREAS, on May 2, 2001, he was invited to attend a ceremony at the state capitol where
- 11 he was honored and recognized for his exemplary and extensive years in state government;
- 12 and
- 13 WHEREAS, at the 2001 ceremony, the Governor presented Mr. Jordan with a 55 year
- 14 Faithful Service Award acknowledging his contributions to the State of Georgia; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Mr. Jordan has always been admired and respected by peers, co-workers,
- 16 funeral directors, physicians, and local county staff; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Mr. Jordan always adhered to the highest standards of conduct and displayed
- 18 great energy, intelligence, and ability, and he is one of Georgia's most distinguished citizens.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 20 commend and congratulate Mr. Oscar H. Jordan for over six decades of dedicated service to

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1 the State of Georgia and extend their best wishes for continued health and happiness in his

- 2 retirement.
- 3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 4 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Oscar H. Jordan.